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DEAR COUNTY DIRECTOR OF SOCIAL SERVICES

ATTENTION: ADULT SERVICES SUPERVISORS AND PROGRAM MANAGERS

SUBJECT: REGIONAL SUPERVISORS MEETINGS

The NC Division of Aging and Adult Services will offer six regional Adult Services Supervisors meetings in January and February 2008. The one day meetings will be facilitated by our Adult Program Representatives. The same program will be discussed at each meeting site in order to assure that consistent information and updates are shared statewide. Supervisors are asked to select a site to attend and let their appropriate Adult Programs Representative know where they will be attending, so that adequate printed materials will be available for those attending the meeting. There is no fee for these meetings. Should it be necessary to cancel or postpone any of the meetings due to inclement weather, counties will be notified in advance. This first meeting will focus on reviewing our efforts to strengthen Adult Protective Services in North Carolina. An agenda for the regional meetings is attached to this correspondence.

The January and February meetings will be held on the following dates, listed with locations:

| January 9 | Waynesville, NC - Haywood County Govt. Offices, 81 Elmwood Way |
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(prior notice of this meeting was provided to counties in this region)

January 15 Morganton, NC - Burke County Agricultural Bldg,

130 Ammons Drive

February 7 Fayetteville, NC - Cumberland County DSS, 1225 Ramsey St, Meeting Room D

February 15 Williamston, NC - Martin Community College, 1161 Kehukee Park Road,

Training Room

February 25 Jacksonville, NC - Onslow County DSS Training Center, New River Shopping Center

1255 Hargett Street

February 29 Greensboro, NC - Guilford County DSS, 1203 Maple Street, First Floor Training Room

Sincerely,

Suzanne P. Merrill, Chief Adult Services Section

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Attachment

Adult Services Regional Supervisors Meeting January and February 2008

AGENDA

| 9:15 - 9:30 | Registration |
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| 9:30 - 9:50 | Introductions and Review of Agenda |
| 9:50 - 10:10 | NC Adult Protective Services Association presentation |
| 10:10 - 10:40 | APS Evolution |
| 10:40 - 11:00 | APS Paths |
| 11:00 - 11:10 | Break |
| 11:10 - 11:20 | APS Survey and Occurrence Data |
| 11:20 - 11:50 | Discussion on APS screening |
| 11:50 - 12:30 | Discussion of future topics and supervisory training needs |
| 12:30 | ADJOURN |